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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

AUG 19 2011

Surface Transportation Board Office of Proceedings Ms. Barbara Saddler 395 E Street, SW Washington, D.C. 20423

Dear Ms. Saddler:

This letter is in reference to Security Agreements dated August 7, 1972; December 27, 1973; January 29, 1975; March 20, 1975; April 16, 1975, and October 5, 1983, between the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak), having its principal place of business at 60 Massachusetts Avenue, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20002, and the delegate of the Secretary of Transportation of the United States of America (the Administrator), Washington, D.C.

The Security Agreements have been recorded with and by the Interstate Commerce Commission on August 16, 1972, at 1:20 p.m., recordation No. 6690; on January 9, 1974, at 3:25 p.m., recordation No. 6690-D; on January 31, 1975, at 5:00 p.m., recordation No. 6690-J; on March 21, 1975, at 8:40 a.m., recordation No. 6690-M; on May 28, 1975, at 12:15 p.m., recordation No. 6690-O and on September 25, 1989, at 2:45 p.m., recordation No. 6690-MMMM. The Security Agreements provide the Administrator a lien on all of Amtrak's rolling stock including locomotives, and contain an after-acquired clause with respect to all such rolling stock thereafter acquired by Amtrak.

This is to advise you that Amtrak has selected for retirement two Flat Cars and one Ballast Hopper Car, listed in the enclosure hereto dated July 14, 2011, and two Flat Cars and one Crawler Crane Carrier Flat Car, listed in the enclosure hereto dated May 20, 2011. Pursuant to Amtrak's request, the Administrator hereby releases, with respect to the listed cars, the Secretary's lien under the aforesaid Security Agreements dated August 7, 1972; December 27, 1973; January 29, 1975; March 20, 1975; April 16, 1975; and October 5, 1983, respectively, and under any other agreement or agreements between the Administrator and Amtrak.

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Therefore, I request that this document be recorded and appropriately filed pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 11301(a).

Sincerely,

Joseph C. Szabo Administrator

Karen & Heellen, for

Attest:		

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ______ day of _______, 2011

Notary Public

My commission expires 6 14 2014

Enclosures

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July 14, 2011

Karen Hedlund Chief Counsel Office of Passenger and Freight Services, RPF Federal Railroad Administration 400 Seventh Street, SW Washington, DC 20590

Dear Ms. Hedlund:

In compliance with the provisions of paragraph 2 of the Security Agreement dated October 5, 1983, between the National Railroad Passenger Corporation and the Federal Railroad Administration, enclosed is a schedule of equipment for disposal.

For our files, please acknowledge your receipt of this information and that it satisfies the requirements of paragraph 2 of the Security Agreement, and permission is granted to dispose of this equipment. I would appreciate a copy of the Release of Lien.

Sincerely.

Andy lvker

Manager, Capital Accounting

Enclosure

I acknowledge receipt of the information described above. This filing satisfies the requirements of paragraph 2 of the Security Agreement dated October 5,1983, between the National Railroad Passenger Corporation and the Federal Railroad Administration, and permission is granted to dispose of this equipment in the most beneficial manner.

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Date

Karen Hedlund, Chief Counsel

AMTRAK EQUIPMENT FOR DISPOSAL

<u>UNIT NO:</u>	DESCRIPTION:	<u>REASON:</u>
15694	Flat Car	Beyond Economical Repair
15767	Flat Car	Beyond Economical Repair
17062	Ballast Hopper	Beyond Economical Repair